

## DYNAMITER'S CASE TO GET UNITED STATES HEARING

Horne Must Be Taken Before Commissioner in the Maine District.

Washington, Feb. 4.—State Department officials said tonight that the next step in the case of Werner Horne, who attempted to destroy a railroad bridge at Vanceboro, Me., would have to be taken by Canadian authorities.

The United States commissioner in Maine. Until the hearing is completed, and all the evidence gathered, there will be no action taken on the formal application for extradition made by Sir Cecil Spring Rice, the British Ambassador on behalf of the Canadian government.

(Special to The Herald)

Vanceboro, Me., Feb. 5.—Werner Horne started on his journey this morning at 9:45 for the county jail at Machias, Me., in custody of Deputy Sheriff Ross. Horne seemed to be pleased to get away from the Canadian border town and shook hands with many of the railroad men at the station before starting on his way. Horne was not handcuffed to the snafu as he showed absolutely no intention of attempting to escape. Deputy Ross and his prisoner will arrive at Bangor late this afternoon and will proceed direct to Machias from there.

## ENGLAND TO SEND THREE MILLION MEN AGAINST GERMANY

Earl Kitchener Asks Parliament to  
Appropriate Funds for Equipment  
and Maintenance of Vast Army

British Aviators Make Successful Air Raid  
Over German Naval Base at Zeebrugge

(Special to The Herald)

London, Feb. 5.—England is to put three million men in the field to fight Germany. An idea of the plans of Earl Kitchener, secretary of state for war, revealing the strength of the British forces was given today when the new army estimate was issued in revised form by the war office.

The House of Commons was today asked to vote, not the actual sum of money needed to equip and maintain these vast forces, but to appropriate a sum in round numbers. The actual figures are held in reserve in order to prevent the enemies of the Allies from knowing just how much England is to spend in her war against the Germans.

(Special to The Herald)

Amsterdam, Feb. 5.—British aeroplanes made another raid on the German naval base at Zeebrugge, Wednesday night, according to reports received from the frontier here today. The aviator dropped a number of bombs and the explosions were plainly heard. It is claimed that heavy damage was inflicted by the bombs. This is the third attack by British aviators

on Zeebrugge since the Germans began to assemble their submarine fleet there. An Allied aeroplane dropped bombs over a German supply depot at Knoke at one o'clock this morning. Four of the Allies' aeroplanes also made a daringly successful raid northward this afternoon over a portion of the Belgian coast in German occupation. Heavy shrapnel firing by the German anti-aircraft guns met them and one of the aviators was injured.

RUSSIANS ON WAY  
TO HUNGARY

(Special to The Herald)

Petrograd, Feb. 5.—Driving the German and Austrian troops in the Carpathian mountains, the Russian armies are slowly forcing their way into Hungary. An official announcement made here today states that the Czar's forces had reached the River Tabor on the south side of the mountains, taking in the advance through Bukovina 2000 Austro-German prisoners and 10 machine guns.

CANDY SALE.

Tomorrow at Bass' Candy Department—Opera caramels, regular price 40c, price for tomorrow, 34c lb.; also our special 36c. chocolates for 22c lb. We sold over six tons of these confections in 1914.

## SPECIAL SHOE NEWS

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## U. S. TO PROTEST GERMAN EDICT

Paper Blockade Such As Germany  
Proposes Is Not Recognized Now  
According to International  
Law.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Feb. 5.—Legal experts of the State Department today confirmed their attention to the edict of the German government declaring a blockade of English waters on Feb. 18, warning neutral ships to keep out of those waters on penalty of being sunk. It is intimated that representations will be made to Germany through Ambassador Gerard at Berlin on behalf of the American shipping.

Assistant Secretary of State Lansing refused to make any direct statement today but it is understood on good authority that the United States does not intend to relinquish their trade with Great Britain because of the Ger-

man declaration. Full danger of the situation, including the possibility of American ships being blown up in British waters by German submarines, is clearly understood in official circles. Some legal experts hold that the German edict is contrary to international law. "Paper blockades" such as Germany proposes to institute are not recognized in international proceedings at the present time.

The question of a submarine attack on merchant ships, particularly neutral merchant ships, brings forth a grave issue which the United States may be compelled to face in the near future, according to administration officials.

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## HER THIRD BIRTHDAY.

Little Miss Jameson Gives  
Party to Her Young  
Friends.

Little Pauline Jameson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Jameson of 120 Marcy street, reached the third anniversary of her birth today and her young friends gathered at the family home to help her celebrate the joyous occasion. The little hostess received many gifts in remembrance of the day. The party made merry in games so dear to the hearts of the young and each was given a part of Pauline's beautiful birthday cake. A notable feature of the occasion was the presence of four generations on her mother's side. The daughter's celebration will be followed by a family reunion this evening.

Read the Want Ads

## KAISER BESTOWS THE IRON CROSS TO U-21 CREW

Made Personal Inspection of  
Submarine and Other War  
Vessels at Wilhelmshaven.

Amsterdam, Feb. 4. (via London)—A dispatch received here today says that Emperor William arrived at Wilhelmshaven this morning. He inspected the submarine U-21 and bestowed the Iron Cross upon the members of the crew. The U-21 is undergoing repairs following her recent exploits in the Irish Sea. The Emperor also inspected the other vessels of the fleet at the port.

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## KITTERY

## Breary Home from the Village Across the River.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blake and daughter Veina, of Butler's Crossing returned home on Thursday, after passing a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Blake of Kittery Point.

Mrs. Robert Stanley and Miss Arvilla Shaw of Dams street, passed the day in Portsmouth, the guest of the former's sister, Mrs. Charles Long.

There was a very good attendance at the ten cent social held on Thursday evening in the vestry of the first M. E. church, North Kittery. Refreshments of cake, coffee and candy were served and a very pleasant evening was passed by all.

You can have a suit of clothes made to your measure from \$14 to \$30, at Shure's.

Mr. Samuel Edwards of Main street resumed his duties in Portsmouth on Thursday after being confined to his home the past three weeks on account of illness.

The many friends in town of Miss Elizabeth Peterson of South Portland, will be sorry to learn that she is ill with an attack of appendicitis, but it is thought that an operation will not be necessary. Her Kittery friends wish her a speedy recovery.

The snow on Haley road is badly drifted, and is still impassable but a crew of men are working today to clear it.

A meeting of Birko Unemployment, I. O. O. F., will be held this evening in Odd Fellows Hall.

Mrs. John Leavitt of Portsmouth passed Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Everett Pettigrew of North Kittery. Mr. Leavitt, Chief of the Junction is passing a few days with friends in South Portland.

Miss Maud Philbrook and her mother have moved from the Hayes Martin house at North Kittery, to Bolt Hill, Eliot.

Those going on the sleigh ride party to York this evening will assemble at the Second Christian church at 6.45 o'clock. Lunch will be served at York Town Hall.

Mrs. D. B. Cook of the Junction underwent an operation on Thursday at her home. This morning her condition was reported as being as comfortable as could be expected. A trainee nurse is in attendance.

A business meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society was held at the parsonage Thursday evening. After the business session a short informal program was carried out, and a candy pull enjoyed. There was a large attendance of young people.

Mrs. Walter Shipley of Walker street has returned from Dorchester, Mass., where she has been visiting her parents.

The Phoenix will hold a meeting this evening in the vestry of the Second Christian church at which time the annual election of officers will be held. It is important that all members attend.

## KITTERY POINT

## Items of Interest from the Harbor Town.

Mrs. Basela Chio, of North Kittery passed Thursday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sawyer.

Intermediary Christian Endeavor at the first Christian church on Sunday at 6.35 p.m.

The tug, M. Mitchell Davis is hauled up by Cutts' Wharf for several weeks. Frisbee Brothers are hauling ice from the pond of E. W. Hoyt.

Mr. John Kellher of Portsmouth

was the guest of friends in town on Wednesday evening.

George Gumbson is enjoying a brief vacation from his duties at the navy yard.

Mrs. Frank Frisbee and daughter Ellen passed Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Hancorn in Kittery. Miss Edna Mansfield has returned to her home in Westbrook, Me., after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fletcher for several weeks.

L. B. D. Seegar is enjoying a vacation from his duties at the navy yard.

Mrs. Thomas A. Bridges, pleasantly entertained the Jolly Six Sewing Club on Thursday afternoon.

Curtis Clapp of Boston was a business visitor in town today.

Miss Cassie Dixon of Eliot visited friends in town this afternoon.

Rev. Winifred T. Coffin has returned from North Berwick where she has been assisting in revival services.

Oscar Clark is visiting relatives in Lynn, Mass.

Mrs. Charles Appleton has returned to her home in Allston, Mass., after visiting friends in town.

B. F. Eldridge of Eliot was a recent visitor in town.

Frank Mace, of New Castle visited friends in town on Thursday.

Mrs. Catherine Bay is confined to her home by illness.

Clifford Call is confined to his home by illness.

Lewis Rice is driving the school team during the illness of Clifford Call.

## "SEVEN KEYS TO BALDPATE"

"Seven Keys to Baldpate" is a mystery farce so named and written by George M. Cohan and regarded by many as his best play. It is founded on Earl Derr Biggers' novel of the same name. The play has revealed Mr. Cohan as a daring playwright, the first to depart with success from established rules in playwriting, by not taking the audience into his confidence. He has produced a play of surprises that has been a huge success. It was acted all of last season in New York. Cohan and Harris will present "Seven Keys to Baldpate," acted by their New York Company at the Portsmouth Theatre, Thursday, Feb. 11.

The present company is the same that recently closed a successful engagement of this play at the Tremont Theatre Boston.

Things happen in this play with mechanical precision and rapidity from the moment Mace, the novelist, arrives at the Inn on Baldpate Mountain to carry out his quest that he can write one of the best sellers in 24 hours. He has made a bet to this effect with his friend, the owner of Baldpate Inn, and upon the theory that



lobby and the click of the typewriter is heard. The only light comes from his bedroom and the burning logs in the hotel lobby fireplace. The elements of a singularly tense scene are set. Every person present is on the alert. There is excitement in the air. The possessors of the other six keys to Baldpate, now begin to arrive, and the distracted author has a great night in which graft and love play a strong part. The audience has a great night, too, for they see and hear of a conspiracy; the theft of \$200,000 in bills from the Baldpate safe, after seeing the money placed therein; the murder of the villainages, who has attempted to double cross the thief who intended to make away with the sum; the mysterious disappearance of her body; the disappearance of the money; its recovery by the chief of police, who turns crook himself and holds the people at bay, while he telephones his wife to meet him in Canada. These scenes would appear to be very melodramatic were they not in reality so introduced as to keep the audience in tears of laughter. The actors who will interpret the different roles are George Parsons, Joseph Allen, Edgar Hilstead, Carleton Macy, Farnell B. Pratt, Claude Brooks, Marshall L. Alsop, Roy Fairchild, John C. King, Jennette Horton, Eva May Francis, Lorena Atwood and Jessie Graham.

## Charley Deal, Third Baseman For Boston Braves, Jumps To Federals



CHARLES DEAL

New York, Feb. 5.—Charles Deal, the third baseman of the Boston Braves who was one of the heroes of the world's series last year, has gone to the Federal league. He has signed to play with the St. Louis Browns for two years. Deal got into the world's series under peculiar circumstances. When Red Smith, the regular third

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## BOWLING

Portsmouth Bowling League  
The India Pale Ale defeated the Porters in the Portsmouth Bowling Co., bowling schedule on Thursday evening at the Elks alleys. The scores

McCarthy	82	91	88-281
G. Leary	77	86	90-253
Petter	71	78	73-222
Trueman	89	60	87-236
Marden	82	81	79-242

Porter

Con Regan	81	72	79-282
D. Leary	80	80	87-257
T. Connors	79	73	74-231
J. J. Regan	63	71	81-216
T. Regan	75	65	90-230

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## NEW MAN FOR ENGINE I

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## NAVAL NOTES

## Vessel Movements

The Castine has arrived at Puerto Plata.

The Cleveland at La Paz.

The Cyclops at Port au Prince.

The Vulcan at Guantanamo.

The Tennessee at Jaffa.

The Ironclads at San Francisco.

The Beale, Fanning, Jarvis, Jenkins and Joubert, Guantanamo for Guantanamo Bay.

The Parker, Guantanamo for New York.

The Charleston, from San Francisco.

## Naval Orders

P. A. P. M. P. A. Calke, to the Portsmouth, N. H., yard.

Chief Gunner O. Friers, the South Carolina to the Kearsarge.

Chief Gunner C. C. Laver, the Kearsarge to the South Carolina.

The North Dakota at Guantanamo Bay has been ordered to proceed to Norfolk for inspection with a view of being placed out of commission.

The Colorado has been detached from duty with Pacific fleet and ordered to Mare Island to relieve the San Diego as flagship of the Pacific fleet, the San Diego then being placed in reserve at Mare Island.

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Portsmouth, N. H., Friday, February 5, 1915.

## Where Responsibility Rests.

We have occasionally commented on the demand for economy in public affairs, in the abstract, and the fact that there is too little support for those bold enough to stand for it in the concrete. And there has not of late been a better illustration of this fact than the treatment by Congress of the postmaster-general's recommendation in the line of retrenchment. The situation is made plain in a few words by the Washington correspondent of a New York paper, who writes: "Postmaster-General Burleson endeavored to overcome the prospective deficit by providing for marked reductions in the estimates to be submitted to Congress for the expenses of the postal service, but the House of Representatives would have none of it, and proceeded to appropriate amounts that aggregated nearly \$19,000,000 more than the postmaster-general recommended."

Upon this another paper comments as follows: "Right there is the cause of very much of the extravagance in public expenditures and the business inefficiency of government. Administrative officers usually get neither support nor encouragement from Congress as a whole in minimizing the money cost of government for the people."

This is true so far as it goes, but it does not go far enough. Not only do administrative officers in too many cases fail of the support of Congress in their efforts for economy, but legislators when they make such attempts, as they occasionally do, fail in altogether too many instances of the support of their constituents. This holds true from the city government all the way to the Congress of the United States. There is a constant shout for economy, incessant complaint against the cost of government and the wastefulness that characterizes public affairs in this country to such an alarming extent, but woe to the man, legislator or administrative official, who dares to take the position of "watchdog of the treasury." In the great majority of cases he is immediately branded as a "cheese-parer," a "crossback," a short-sighted individual who would "save at the pigsticker and waste at the bung."

That is the situation in plain English. There is very little encouragement of real efforts for economy, which are more apt to bring penalties than rewards. The responsibility for extravagance in public affairs rests upon the people. If the time ever comes when they mean economy as earnestly as they shout it they will have it, and not before.

The prevailing opinion in Washington, we understand, is that the administration is a failure. The following incident actually occurred, though it is not recited here in proof of our statement.

It seems that a gentleman, living at a club, found he could not communicate with the office—his room telephone would not work. He spoke to Mary, the colored housekeeper, complaining that something was wrong, and asked her if she could tell him what was the matter. Mary's pride was a bit touched. She answered with dignity: "Deed, Sir, I don't know—you ain't the only pusson—seems like every one of dese ere wires had done gone Democratic."

The contemplated junket of Philadelphia councilmen to the San Francisco exposition with the Liberty Bell seems to be as badly cracked as the bell itself, which is in a condition that would make it unwise to subject it to the risk of such a long shipment. It is just as well so. The exposition will be able to get along without the bell, and also without such Philadelphia councilmen as do not see fit to pay their own fares.

It is predicted that cholera will be added to the other terrors of the war in Western Europe in the not distant future. There have already been many cases of the disease among the Austrians, and physicians believe it will extend to the western armies, and possibly cross the channel to England. This is an alarming prediction; and all the more so because it is apparently well based.

It is reported from Washington that the war has greatly stimulated the business of the postal savings banks, whose deposits have increased more than \$3,000,000 a month since the beginning of hostilities, while more than 400,000 people have been added to the list of depositors, who seek above all things absolute safety, and find it in the postal savings banks.

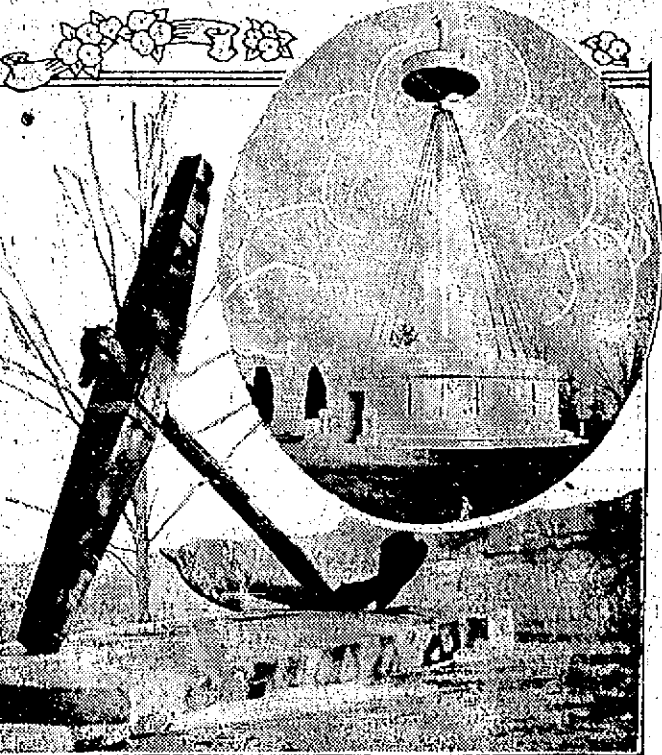
The old lady who said she liked Portsmouth because it was such a local place, might have found a great many better reasons than that for her preference.

It is about time for somebody to resurrect that outrageous conundrum: "In what month do ladies talk least? February, because it is the shortest."

Sombody once remarked: "To write New Castle 'Newcastle' is as bad as to write New York 'Newyork.'"

The groundhog didn't call at the weather bureau this year.

## New Maine Memorial at Arlington Cemetery to Be Dedicated Feb. 15



The new Maine memorial in Arlington national cemetery, Washington, will be formally dedicated on Feb. 15. Addresses will be made by President Wilson, Secretary of the Navy Daniels, Rear Admiral Sigsbee, retired, commander of the old Maine, and others. The memorial consists of the main mast of the old unfortunate warship set in a concrete foundation in the shape of a mausoleum to resemble the turret of a ship. A picture of the memorial is seen here, together with a picture of the huge anchor of the Maine, which stands near the memorial. The Maine was blown up in Havana harbor seventeen years ago.

## BOSTON LETTER

Boston, Feb. 5.—The fight against the ship purchase bill in the senate has been largely an affair managed by New England, which has felt the bill to be more particularly its own affair. New England has led in the filibustering and the generalship. In Senator Lodge and Weeks of Massachusetts and Gallinger of New Hampshire, and not far away have been Senators Lippitt of Rhode Island and Brandegee of Connecticut. Senator Burleigh of Maine, whose state is greatly interested in shipbuilding, has done what he could for a sick man. He has been ready in nearby rooms in the senate wing of the capitol, on a cot or a lounge covered with blankets. Senator Weeks had charge of the filibuster in the senate on Saturday last and again was a plunger on Monday last when the Democratic balloon burst. Senator Lodge says that he likes filibustering. Of course he has had lots of experience in them, and today he is sorry that he has not the same enduring strength he had prior to his operation in 1913. The senator, in a platter of fact, has the same physical strength, but he knows he has not the same endurance in nerve force.

Boston, Feb. 5.—The unemployment situation in this city has improved somewhat so far as the demand for unskilled labor is concerned. According to a statement issued today by the Boston Branch of the State Free Employment office, the statement says: "The official statistics show a decrease of 42 per cent in the demand for a help and a decrease of 41 per cent in the number of positions reported filled as compared with January 1914, and a decrease of 2 per cent in the demand for a help with a decrease of 6 per cent in the number of positions reported filled as compared with the previous month. The demand for skilled workmen shows a low level mark in our records, and a decrease of 27 per cent in the number of positions reported filled for the same period."

Boston, Feb. 5.—The 12 annual convention of the Religious Educational Association will be held in Buffalo from March 3 to 7. The subject of the discussion planned for this gathering will be "The Rights of the Child." This association is planned to fulfill a three fold purpose: to inspire the educational forces of our country with religious ideal, and to keep before the public mind the ideal of religious education.

uation and the sense of its need and value. New England organizations will send large delegations to this convention.

## BARACAS—42; ALL STARS—20

### Portsmouth Basketball Team Goes Down to Defeat in Game With Kittery Five.

The All Stars of this city were defeated by the Baracas of Kittery in a fast basketball game at Baracas hall, Kittery Depot on Thursday evening. The attendance was very large, and the spectators were given a good exhibition of fast playing, which kept them on the alert up to the final whistle of the referee announcing the end of the game. All of the players of both teams put up a fine game, but the feature of the evening was the basket shooting of Castwell, the star man of the Baracas team. He made 11 baskets during the game. Morrow also played well for the Baracas. Richardson and Horan put up a good game for the Portsmouth aggregation.

The lineup: Baracas: Castwell f., Kellher f., Morrow f., Smith c., Horan c., Plimpton lg., Richardson lg., Webber lg., Goggin f. Summary: Goals from floor, Castwell 11, Morrow 5, Smith 3, Goggin 2, Richardson 5, Horan 3, Kellher 2. Goals from fouls, Smith 2, Goggin 2, Plimpton, Morrow, Horan 2, Kellher, Richardson. Score, Baracas 42, All Stars 20. Referee, Goggin. Time: 1. Goggin; Scorer, Craig. Two 10 and one 15 minute periods.

Commencing Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 8-9, the Scenic Temple will present



the greatest western serial ever produced, featuring Robert Leonard and Ella Hall.

AT DEDES  
 Fresh Florida Strawberries, 45c a box.  
 Large juicy grapefruit, 4 for 25c.  
 Sweet Florida oranges, 16 for 25c.  
 Tangerines, 20c doz.  
 Spanish Malaga grapes, 18c lb., 2 lbs for 35c.  
 Dedes' for Saturday

## Do Business In a Daylight Way

The storekeeper who makes a practice of offering his patrons "something just as good" instead of the advertised articles asked for is doing business in the dark. He is trying by subterfuge to take advantage of the good will created by some one else. Nine cases out of ten the article he offers to substitute is inferior in quality. It does a positive injury to the reputable manufacturer who was building a reputable business in a reputable way. It is bad for the consumer and in the end bad for the storekeeper. Deal with the storekeeper and do business in an open and above board way. When you ask for an article you saw advertised in the paper, "Get what you ask for."

## JAPAN'S CRUISER "ASAMA" LOST

### American Warships Hurrying to Her Aid; 500 Men on Vessel.

Washington, Feb. 4.—The Japanese cruiser Asama, carrying 500 men has been wrecked and is breaking up off the western coast of Lower California according to advices today to the navy department. The dispatch did not state whether the crew had been rescued.

Rear Admiral Howard, commanding the American fleet in the Pacific who reported the wreck in a brief message from his flagship, was ordered to send whatever aid was available. Department officials thought tonight that the cruiser Raleigh off San Diego, Cal. yesterday, probably would be the first American naval vessel to reach the scene.

Nothing was said in the Admiral's report of the fate of the crew. The Asama was about 5800 tons displacement, and she was a sister ship to the Tokiwa. She was 442 feet over all, 67 feet beam and capable of 21 and 1-2 knots. She had 18,000-horse power and was armored with nickel steel. She was built in Glasgow, England, in 1895, and carried four eight inch guns, 4 6 inch guns and 12 3 inch guns, four torpedo tubes below the water and one above.

The Asama had a war record dating back to the battle of the Sea of Japan May 27-28, 1905, on which occasion she received the surrender of Rear Admiral Nebogatoff of the Russian navy. After this fight she was engaged successfully with the Russian cruiser Dmitri Donskoi, and it was from the decks of the Asama that the Emperor of Japan reviewed the naval parade in Japanese waters in the latter part of October 1905.

More recently the Asama has been active in the Pacific. In November she was reported as hovering outside of Honolulu Harbor, awaiting the coming of a German warship, and in January she was steaming up and down the coast of Peru looking for the German cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich.

At least three American warships are in the Asama's vicinity and undoubtedly are acting to help the Japanese cruiser. They are the collier Nanshan, at San Francisco; the gunboat Yorktown, at the same place the same day, and the cruiser Maryland at Mazatlan. Naval officers here also think merchant vessels are in the vicinity of the Asama.

Port Bartolomeo is on the Pacific side peninsula. Though situated in an almost uninhabited country, it is considered the best harbor between San Diego and Magdalena Bay.

While the rules of the international law permit belligerent vessels to call on neutral craft to assist them in distress, any sailors taken aboard American ships of war may be interned for the remainder of the war.

## SUFFRAGE NOTES

We are forever being told that the place of woman is in the home. Well, so be it. But what do we expect of her in the home? Merely to stay in the house is enough. She is a failure unless she does certain things for the home, as far as her means allow, to the health and welfare, moral as well as physical, of her family, and especially of her children. She more than anyone else, is held responsible for what they become.

She is responsible for the cleanliness of her house.  
 She is responsible for the wholesomeness of the food.  
 She is responsible for the children's health.  
 She, above all, is responsible for their morals, for their sense of truth, of honesty and of decency for what they turn out to be.

How far can a mother control these things? She can clean her rooms, but if the neighbors are allowed to live in filth, she cannot keep her rooms from being filled with bad airs and smells. She can cook her food well, but if dealers are permitted to sell poor food, unclean milk, or stale eggs, she cannot make the food wholesome.

She can take every care to avoid fire, but if the house has been badly built, if the fire escapes are insufficient or not fireproof, she cannot guard her children from the horrors of being burned or killed by fire.

She can send her children out for air and exercise, but if the conditions that surround them on the streets are immoral and degrading, she cannot protect them from these dangers.

Alone, she cannot make these things right. Who or what can? The city can do it—the City Government that is elected by the people to take care of the interests of the people.

And who decides what the government shall do?

First, the officials of the government, and second, those who elect them.

Do the women elect them? No, the men do. So it is the men and not the women that are really responsible for the unclean houses, unwholesome food, bad plumbing, danger of fire, risk of tuberculosis and other diseases, immoral influences of the streets.

Men are responsible for these conditions, but we hold women responsible for the results of these conditions.

## CURRENT OPINION

### Railroads Need Fair Treatment Under Public Regulation.

Failure in the last decade to protect the railroads and railroad investors has at last produced a lack of confidence in public regulation, and we now know that through the weakness of the railroads the whole country is suffering.

The inherent weakness of the present situation is that we as a people seem to have assumed that the present railroads and their equipment and facilities are complete and are sufficient for present and future needs and that the chief function of public regulation is to curtail their revenues, increase their expenses and lessen the margin of return. In this growing country the present railroads are far from adequate, and therefore the policy of repression is bound to bring, if it has not brought already, a day of reckoning.

Public opinion is now convinced, I feel, that the railroads are entitled to more equitable treatment under public regulation.—By Samuel Rea, President of the Pennsylvania Railroad.

Let them have something to say as to what these conditions shall be. Give them the same means that men have. Let them vote.

L. C. DONAHUE  
 Portsmouth, N. H., Feb. 4.

## NAVY YARD NEWS

Ordered Here  
 Past Asst. Paymaster Alexis Clarke detached from the U. S. S. Cincinnati, has been ordered to this yard for duty.

Six for Concord  
 Six prisoners from the naval prison were taken to the civilian prison at Concord today to complete the remainder of their sentence.

Will Reside on Yard  
 Lieut. R. E. Cassidy returned today from thirty days' leave, which he passed at his old home in Connecticut, and is making preparations to take up residence in quarters "3" at the navy yard.

Bidding for Construction  
 The Industrial Department are preparing bids for the construction of a lightship and a ferry boat for the lighthouse station at Newport. The lightship bid will be opened at Washington on Feb. 16 and the bid for the ferry on March 20.

Twenty-Eight to Take It  
 Twenty-eight applicants for the examination for list of eligible leading-men and quartermen have filed papers for the same which will occur on Monday next.

Sent to Washington  
 Thirty men from the marine guard of the Southern were sent to the barracks at Washington today.

Want It Under One Head  
 It is said that a competitive examination will be ordered for the position of master plumber and copper-smith under the new system of management. The plan is said to be the putting of work under one master mechanic and concentration of the shops where the work is performed. The copper shop has for several years been in charge of Edward D. McIntire, and the plumbing, by Mr. Drake.

Want Him to Resign  
 Reports in circulation at the yard today, saying that a master mechanic had been requested to resign, caused more or less surprise among the employees. It is understood that the

## PORTSMOUTH THEATRE PROGRAMME

Friday and Saturday

"The Barrier of Faith"—Vitaphone

Drama.  
 Love is the fulfillment of the law. It removes all barriers and makes an one human family. Van Dyke Brooks featured.

"Shoddy, the Tailor"—Lubin Comedy.  
 The only tailor in the town and he gets even with the police, you bet.

ACT—Capt. Treats trained Seals and Sea Lions.  
 "A Question of Conscience"—Lubin Drama.

In this picture there are a dissolute son, the faithful employee and a trusting father, who is finally convinced of his son's short-comings. A sad ending to this story which is very good and cleverly acted. Dolly Larkin featured.

"Who Wants to be a Hero"—Selig Comedy.  
 This picture shows the adventures of a scintillating nobleman, who attempts to give his services to two opposing factions. He finally fights a duel with himself.

ACT—Announced later.  
 "Broncho Billy and the Sisters"—S. and A. Drama.

This is a different story from all the Broncho Billy series. An unselfish act causes a transference of love from one sister to the other. It is a moonshine story. G. M. Anderson featured.

MONDAY AND TUESDAY  
 "The Sage Brush Girl"—Vitaphone  
 Broadway Star. feature in three parts.

## 5-CENT RATE TO GERMANY

### Letters From Here to Germany Must Carry 5-Cent Stamp Until Direct Transportation Is Restored.

Washington, Feb. 4.—Postmaster General Burleson today suspended the two-cent postage rates on mails from the United States to Germany, and announced that until direct transportation service was restored letters from this country to German destinations would be charged at a rate of five cents for the first ounce and three for each additional ounce.

## AT THE BOSTON THEATRES

"A Pair of Sixes"  
 The population of Boston is now divided in two parts—those who have seen "A Pair of Sixes," and those who are going to see it. Not in the memory of the present generation of theatre goers has any play come to Boston that so thoroughly captivated the town as this wonderfully funny farce which is now attracting huge and laughing audiences in the beautiful Theatre.

For two hours and a half this merry farce makes the audience forget its worries and its cares and keeps it delighted and amused. And the fun is of the healthy and wholesome sort, without a sting in it.

The best comedy ever assembled appears in "A Pair of Sixes" including Frank McIntire, Fritz Williams, Sam B. Hardy, Oza Waldrop, Maude Euburne, Grace Carlyle and a dozen others.

Owing to existing contracts the Boston engagement must come to an end before long. Matinees at the Lyric Theatre are given on Wednesday and Saturday.

TO LET—Furnished rooms with heat, gas and bath. Transients accommodated. Apply 57 Congress st., opposite Public Library. No Feb 6, 19

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 Fores of lamb.....10c lb.  
 Sirloin steak.....22c lb.  
 Hamburg steak.....2 lbs. 25c  
 Round steak.....20c lb.  
 Whole ham.....14c lb.  
 Stickney & Poor's Cream Powder.....1-4 lb. 10c

Stickney & Poor's Salsoratus, 1 lb. 6c  
 Fancy potatoes.....15c pk.  
 Roast Pork.....25c lb.  
 Pure Lard.....12 1/2c lb.  
 Compound Lard.....10c lb.  
 Salt pork, 10c lb; 5-lb. lots, 9c

Kennedy's Pilot bread.....8c lb.  
 Soda Biscuit.....8c lb.  
 Crackers.....8c lb.  
 Blue Ribbon Creamery butter, pound prints.....38c

Uneddas.....6 pkgs. 25c  
 Good can corn.....10c  
 Evaporated Milk.....5c can  
 Good pink salmon.....10c can

Rose milk.....11c can  
 Maltio starch.....2c pkgs.  
 Snider's Tomato Soup.....8c can  
 Campbell's Soups.....9c can

Shrimp.....2 cans 25c  
 Tomatoes.....2c can  
 Evaporated apples.....8c pkgs.  
 Nice meaty Prunes.....8c lb.

Fancy Peaches.....20c can  
 Jersey Creamery Butter.....36c lb.  
 Fancy Red Salmon.....16c can

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## THIEF ENTERS HOUSE AT PLAINS

The house of Arthur Cook at the Plains was broken into on Wednesday evening and the thief made his entrance in a unique way. With a bit the thief bored enough to dig just above the key hole of the door, that a piece large enough to admit his hand was taken out, and the matter of reaching through and opening the door was simple. A small amount of candy and tobacco was taken.

## BUSINESS AND SOCIAL MEETING

Girls' Guild of the Middle Street Baptist Church Have Session.

The Girls' Guild of the Middle Street Baptist Church met in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening and after a business meeting a social was enjoyed. At the business session it was voted to present an "Old Folks' Concert" the first of March. Games were enjoyed by all and refreshments were served. Miss Anna Seavey acting as hostess.

## TO HELP THE UNEMPLOYED.

The Concord postoffice has received a supply of forms of applications for the use of employees desiring help, and for persons seeking employment. These forms may be had on request from the postmaster or to the officer in charge of any branch postoffice during office hours, or to a rural mail carrier. The application will be forwarded to the proper officer of the Department of Labor. This service is free to employer and employee.

Up to date the local postoffice has not been informed of this arrangement by the department.

## BRITISH PRIZE SHIP COMING TO BOSTON

Cargo Consigned to Boston Parties Still Intact and Will Be Delivered.

Six months overdue the German steamship Schmeffels, bound from Calcutta for Boston—the first prize captured by Great Britain after the war began—will arrive at Boston within ten days, flying the British flag, with her name changed to Gibraltar. Her original cargo is still on board and will be delivered to the Boston consignees intact.

The Schmeffels was owned by the Itasca line of Hamburg and was making her first trip from the East Indies, her freight being valued at considerably more than \$1,000,000. She was taken by naval vessels in the Mediterranean the day after war was declared. Through the influence of underwriters the British government consented to the unusual course of allowing her original cargo to be delivered. A cable received yesterday from Gibraltar, stated that the Gibraltar left Gibraltar last Tuesday.

## CANADA TO RAISE \$100,000,000

Government Asks Parliament to Vote That Sum for Insurance Upon Naval and Military Operations.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 4.—The Parliament of Canada was opened this afternoon by the Duke of Connaught, who declared in a speech that the people of Canada had given abundant and convincing proof of their loyalty. It was further declared that large additional forces of men were ready organized to depart for Europe to aid the Mother Country in its war with Germany.

The government has given notice of intention to ask Parliament for a war vote of \$100,000,000 to be raised by loan and applied upon naval and military operations or indemnity against war risk if necessary.

## THEY HAVE A KICK.

West End Bowlers Shoot Something to the P. B. Co.

Members of the Frank Jones and Eldridge Bowling companies bowling teams have called on the sporting edi-

tor of The Herald and stated that they are unable to get the manager of the Portsmouth Brewing Company to roll on the Islington street alleys. They claim they have given the Portsmouth Brewing Company a game on the Elks alleys and before the bowlers from the "down-town establishment" throw any more bouquets at themselves, and claim the championship, they would like to meet them on their own battle-ground.

The Herald can do nothing but print their statement and refer them again to Manager Foley.

## LOCAL DASHES

Price of flour still going up. No police court session today. The groundhog hit it right so far. Dr. Plekerling dentist, 32 Congress street. Some surprises at the navy yard today.

Fish of all kinds at Clark's Brauch, Tel. 133. The 9 o'clock club will shortly pull off another Soiree.

Boston will now be saved, Billy Sunday arrived yesterday. Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated, Margeson Brothers, Phone 670. Man the Hon' George von L. Meyer quit knocking the Portsmouth navy yard.

Page & Shaw's cut drops, 25c lb. Candy special for Saturday at Tilton Drug Co.

Don't forget "The County Chairman" with Maclyn Arbuckle at the New Theatre.

Fancy oranges, grapefruit, lemons, tangerines and table apples at Drake's Market.

18 lbs. Slack salted pollock for \$1; 100 lbs. for \$5, at Clark's Market, Tel. 133.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day. E. James and Sons, Tel. 245.

Perhaps Germany will succeed in starting something with her "paper blockade."

Hard and soft wood for sale. We have some extra dry pine limbs. Regan and Clair, 225 Cate street. Tel. 662M.

The committee on military affairs were made right at home in Portsmouth today.

Skates sharpened, scissors, knives, and all edge tools sharpened; saws filed, umbrellas mended, keys made, locks repaired, and razors honed and rehandled at Horne's, 32 Daniel street.

Fresh vegetables of all kinds, including string beans, radishes, Brussels sprouts, rhubarb, dandelions, spinach, celery, lettuce, cauliflower, parsley and Bermuda onions, at Drake's Market.

## PEOPLES' OPINION

To Editor of The Herald: If you will look into the situation at the Portsmouth navy yard as to the workings regarding appointments, etc., you will uncover political deals that are so small that you will hardly believe men in high government positions would tolerate them. Master workmen are to be beheaded, and other men discharged, purely for political purposes. For years the navy yard has been run free from politics, but present methods will certainly destroy the efficiency of the yard.

Why not instruct your reporters to interview the commandant and other officers and find out about these matters? A Navy Yard Workman.

## SWISH! CORNS GONE! WE USE "GETS-IT"

2 Seconds, 2 Drops—Corns Vanish! For everybody with corns, there is in every drug store in the land one of the real wonders of the world, and that's "GETS-IT" for corns! It's the first and only corn-cure ever known that

"Some Foe! M'anselle, What? Corns Gone? Yes, I Used 'GETS-IT,'" removes any and every corn or callus without pain, without fussing with thick bandages, toe harnesses, corn-swalling salves, irritating ointments. It's applied in 2 seconds—bing, bang—2 drops, the work is done, the corn shrivels up, your corn agony ends and the corn leaves forever! All the limping, the pains that dart to your heart's core, the excruciating of having to wear shoes (ever screaming corns, the danger of blood poison from mauling them bleed by using knives, razors and scissors—are gone at last! "GETS-IT" is the new way, the sure, simple, painless way. Try it for corns, calluses, warts and bunions.

"GETS-IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago.

## GERMANY SAYS BRITISH SEAS ARE WAR ZONES

Declares War On All British Merchant Vessels Found in English Waters Including English Channel.

Berlin, Feb. 4.—via wireless.—The German Admiralty today issued a communication to the effect that the waters around Great Britain and Ireland, including the English Channel, are declared a war zone after February 18. Every merchant ship of the enemy found in that zone will be destroyed even if it is impossible to avert dangers which threaten the crew and passengers. Also the neutral ships, at the war zone are in danger. The shipping around the Shetland Islands in the eastern basin of the North Sea and about 30 miles in breadth along the Dutch coast is declared endangered in the same way.

From Washington, the announcement was made by the state department that a telegram from the American Ambassador at Berlin dated Feb. 2 stated the extent of the war zone and recommending that all merchant vessels bound for the North Sea take a course to the south of Scotland.

## CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL.

If cross, feverish, constipated, give "California Syrup of Figs."

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well founded. Their tender little "bodies" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicate "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeiters sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

## REVIVAL SERVICE.

Rev. Mr. Scott Having Continued Success at His Meetings.

Another well attended revival service was held on Thursday evening at the Miller Avenue Methodist church, and splendid interest was shown. The speaker, Rev. P. J. Scott spoke on "Religion and Feeling" speaking of the various degrees of emphasis that people put upon feeling. Feeling is required in religion but the condition on which we are to be accepted of God is that we turn from our evil ways to Him. It is the will that counts. "Whoever will may come" and "Here in the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shall be saved." A solo was well rendered by Mr. Crossley.

The subject tonight will be "Backsliders." Next week on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, Rev. D. M. Lockroy of Tremont Temple, Boston, head of the men's work there, will be the speaker.

## LITTLE FOLKS HAVE PLEASANT EVENING

Rogers' Mission Circle of the North Congregational Church Held Interesting Meeting.

The Rogers' Mission Circle of the North Congregational church held a tea meeting on Thursday afternoon at the Parish house with an attendance of over a hundred young folks.

From 5 to 6 o'clock Rev. L. H. Thayer entertained the little folks with a stereoscopic talk on "Children of Other Lands," which was greatly enjoyed and held the interest of everyone present.

At 6 o'clock a luncheon of fancy sandwiches, cakes, fancy crackers and hot chocolate was served. The luncheon was a very pretty one. The hostesses of the occasion were Mrs. Edward Sterling, Mrs. R. E. Han-

ford, Mrs. Ira M. St. Clair and Mrs. Frank Clark.

At the conclusion of luncheon the children were entertained by the Monadnock Camp Fire Girls who presented the play entitled "Any Girl." The play was acted exceptionally well and the children deserve much credit for their splendid work. The play illustrated the aim and possibilities of the Camp Fire Movement.

The members of the Monadnock Camp Fire are as follows: Misses Gwendolyn O'Brien, Doris Moulton, Marion Limes, Olive Berry, Helen Dunlap, Nellie Locklin, Lena Latour, Violette Jeness, Doris McNabb, Inez McNabb, Florence Johnson, Helica Lines, Ruth Svenson, Bernice Stockard and Frances Upham.

This was the most pleasurable assembly of the season so far, and the little folks will long remember their good time.

## PERSONALS

Plummer Ladd of Epping was a visitor here today.

Michael M. Barker is passing a few days in Lynn and Boston.

Miss Helen Walker of Middle street is visiting in Boston today.

Miss Bertha Bennett of Middle street is a Boston visitor today.

Robert J. Boyd of Lincoln Avenue is passing several days in New York. Percy C. Shog is restricted to his residence on Highland street by illness.

Miss Ruth Davis has returned from Boston after attending a session of the School of Photography.

Mr. Elijah Woodward of New York City is the guest of his brother, Christopher Woodward, Manager of the Frank Jones Brewing Co.

Miss Bertha Johnson of Gates street underwent a surgical operation at the Portsmouth Hospital today. Dr. Luce and Dr. Neal were in attendance.

George A. Truitt, the well known blacksmith, shows a slight improvement from his illness, which has confined him to his house for several several weeks.

## SATURDAY AT BENFIELD'S.

Two large bags buckwheat flour, 25c; large bottle Golden Tree syrup, 25c; 15c cans spinach, 10c; either Borden's, Van Camp's or Libby's evaporated milk, 3 cans for 25c; new lot of these unseasoned cakes, 2 lbs. for 25c; fresh lunch cakes, 3 lbs. for 25c; large angel cakes, 25c; 10c grapefruit for 25c; buy Money-back coffee for 25c and get 35c value; kippered herring, 3 large tins for 25c; tuna fish in 15c and 25c tins; crab meat in 25c and 50c tins; canned lobster, 25c, for the London season. Tel. 177, 947M.

Dover is cutting out telephones in municipal departments to save expenses.

## SEASHORE PROPERTY 1915

## Summer Homes

Our applications for purchase and rental have begun to come in and we desire to list all properties as early as possible. If you intend to sell or rent see us at once to get best results. Write, telephone or call.

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WHEN SHOPPING don't forget to call at our clean, up-to-date confectionery store to buy a pound of our Home-Made Candies for your wife. Made from the best ingredients and as pure as the driven snow.

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Right Posture Suits, the patented health suit that gives you the look of the athlete, and the build too. Right Posture Suits help you grow strong and straight. A splendid assortment of bright, snappy patterns await your choice. Prices from \$5.00 to \$9.00.

Ask for prices on Boys' Overcoats. This is a good time to buy them. Extra good overcoats marked down.

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## DISAPPEARS FROM SIGHT

Young Coe, Boston Head of Standard Oil Co., Drops Suddenly Out of Sight.

Boston, Feb. 5.—Henry Clarke Coe, Jr., local representative of the Standard Oil Company, and son of Dr. Henry Clarke Coe, a famous New York physician, left his home last Saturday morning to go to his business at 50 Congress street, and has not been seen since, nor has any word about him been received. Police and detectives working on the case believe he has been a victim of foul play.

Mr. Coe, who has been living with his wife at 1200 Commonwealth avenue, bounded a car at 8.30 Saturday morning to keep an appointment with General Manager Wilkinson of the Standard Oil Company at 9 o'clock and nothing is known of his movements since that time.

A reward of \$250 has been offered for any information which will lead to a discovery of his whereabouts and the Robert Burns Detective Bureau has been commissioned to find him.

## OBSEQUES

D. William Lynes

The last sad rites over the remains of the late D. William Lynes were held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception at 9 o'clock this morning. A large number of friends and acquaintances were present to render the last earthly tribute of respect to the deceased, who was such a favorite in life. The high mass of requiem was offered by Rev. Edward J. Walsh, P. R. A quarter from the choir sang the Gregorian service. At the conclusion of the mass an appropriate soprano solo was given by Miss Kath-

erine O'Leary. Many beautiful and numerous floral tributes literally covered the casket and spelled in language more full than words, the sadness sustained by those near and dear to him. The interment was in Calvary cemetery under the direction of Funeral Director William P. Mace. The following acted as pall bearers: Harry Perkins, Edward Bookley, Patrick Connors, John O'Brien, Charles Conbig, Michael Timmons.

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# GERMANS ATTEMPT A BLOCKADE OF FRENCH COAST

**Notifies This Country.—Will Try to Relieve the Austrian Fort of Przemyśl.—Russian Aviators Are on the Border.**

Washington, Feb. 4.—Germany today notified the State Department that American vessels should avoid the north and west coast of France.

The State Department does not regard the notice as a formal declaration of blockade by Germany, or the French coast, it is said, that mere presence of German submarines off the coast of France would constitute a blockade, which, according to long-established principles of the State Department, requires the maintenance of a fleet of warships sufficient to prevent any intercourse with the blockaded port.

Therefore, the department regards the notice as similar to one issued by the British Government and to a preceding notice from the German Government regarding the waters of the North Sea, both of which related to the fact that the waters would be used for passage of neutral shipping except under license.

Technically, the waters of the north and west coast of France, therefore, are to be regarded as within the war zone, and American vessels are advised to take care of the waters, and not to take any other action.

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treason and sentenced to death were Janko Zilovic and Nedjo Kerovic. Their sentences later were commuted to imprisonment for life and for 20 years respectively.

Gavro Princip, the Bosnian student who actually slew the archduke and his wife while they were visiting Sarajevo, is undergoing a sentence of 20 years imprisonment, it having been impossible on account of his youth to sentence him to death.

Germans Fairly Rushed Into Hands of Allies

Northern France, Feb. 4.—The capture of the Great Dune by the allies was too important, both in itself and its bearing upon the defence of the road to Ostend, for the Germans not to make a new and violent effort to recover their lost ground. That effort they made three days ago.

The attack opened with a terrific bombardment, which continued with great violence for more than 48 hours and, indeed, has not yet ceased at this point at the moment of writing. The Germans directed the whole force of their guns, even distant batteries, which usually shell points more to the east of Nieuport upon the trenches that had been dug on the plateau of the Great Dune and were held by the allies.

Then, on Sunday, came the German counter attack. They charged the allied positions with such force and in ranks so serried in mass formation that a certain number of German soldiers were carried or pushed far beyond their goal and made prisoners by the allies.

Germany Auxiliary Cruiser is Sunk Buenos Ayres, Feb. 4.—The Buenos Ayres newspapers announce that a German auxiliary cruiser, formerly of the Woermann line, was sunk on Jan. 7 off the Patagonian coast by the British cruiser Australia. The crew were taken to the Falkland Islands. German Papers Score "Backdown" by Wilson

Berlin, Feb. 4.—A news dispatch has been received here from Washington saying that President Wilson has consented to an amendment of the ship purchase bill which provides that no vessel is to be bought by the United States if such purchase would lead to conflict with any one of the belligerent powers.

Nearly all the German newspapers criticize this course sharply. They virtually unite in calling it a backdown before Great Britain on the part of President Wilson. The Kreuz Zeitung says: "This tender consideration for Great Britain is the more remarkable inasmuch as it injures America herself."

Germany Tests U. S. Neutrality in New Note

Washington, Feb. 4.—That Germany has placed before the United States a concrete case that she believes will test American neutrality, was learned officially today.

In a further note transmitted to the state department by Ambassador von Bernstorff regarding the consignment of food aboard the steamship Wilhelm, assurances were given by the Berlin foreign office that American consents in Germany can supervise the distribution of such food and see that it does not reach Germany's armed forces.

Germany holds, it was learned, that if the United States insists as strongly that Americans have the right to ship food to German non-combatants as it does that arms and ammunition can be shipped to the allies, her neutrality will be proved. But if the decision is against Germany, that government will feel that the United States is not impartial.

Berlin believes, it was stated, that if Great Britain seizes the cargo of food on the Wilhelm it will be "pure piracy."

And Germany further insists that "England has not a leg to stand on" in its announced intention of taking all food consigned to Germany.

U. S. Unable to Rescue Citizens in Poland War Zone

Washington, Feb. 4.—That many Americans are suffering in the war zone of Poland, Feb. 4.—Deserters from the Turkish forces who have surrendered to the British troops include numerous representatives of tribes in southern Palestine who declare they were forced against their will to enter the army.

Reports of yesterday's fighting indicate that the Turks were prodigal with their ammunition and that their firing was ineffective. The canal and railway were open to traffic all day.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HAS 25,218 FARM HOMES

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—There are now 103,158 homes in New Hampshire, according to a report issued today by the census bureau, while ten years ago the number was 97,992, compared with \$7,348 comes in 1890. Twenty-four per cent of the New Hampshire homes are farm homes, compared with 29 per cent in 1900 and 33 per cent in 1890. The number of homes in this state free of incumbrance at the present time is 33,344, while 13,917 are encumbered and 49,548 are rented.

In the entire nation there are 20,266,665 homes. Of this number 6,123,610 are farm and 14,143,045 are urban homes.

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zones of Galicia and Poland was the state department's belief today. Appeals are being made almost daily by relatives in this country that these Americans be rescued from the "terror zone," but the department is unable to assist. Repeated cablegrams to Petrograd and Vienna have accomplished practically nothing for four months, and the department has again given up hope of accomplishing anything.

Only one American woman has left Galicia since the war spread to that territory, it was stated today. She was picked up by a truckman and taken into Bohemia in disguise. The department wrote Joseph Silak of Chicago, Mass., yesterday that it was impossible for either Ambassador Marye, at Petrograd, or Ambassador Penfield, at Vienna, to send representatives to Tarnow, Galicia, to go his wife.

Americans in Europe are there at "their own risk," the department pointed out again today, and there is no way the United States can protect them in case of Zeppelin raids.

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from homes destroyed, from business houses wrecked, from savings vaults looted by the fire route.

And these are the fruits of human neglect of emulsion and omission. They do not start of their own accord. They must always have a human being for a partner.

This being the case, why not cultivate a little foresight? Why not

Keep your premises clear of trash, oil, kerosene, and such things that are excellent fire food?

When properly curbed and circumscribed, a cheering fire is a thing that makes a most excellent servant, contributing greatly to the comforts of man. But to keep fire a servant requires constant and unceasing vigilance. While a good servant it is a most exacting master!

Are you doing your full share toward preventing fires? If you are you merit the thanks of your neighbors. Every time a house is destroyed your neighbors must stand their full part of the fire insurance you may collect.

MANY MASSACHUSETTS WOMEN WORK FOR A LIVING

Washington, D. C., Feb. 4.—More than 10 per cent of the women in Lowell and Fall River, Mass., work for a living, and this is the highest percentage of female occupancy for any city in the United States whose population is over 100,000, according to a census report issued today. Oakland, California, a residential city with practically few factories, has the lowest rate. Only 21 per cent of the women of that city are engaged in gainful occupation.

The number of mortgaged homes in the United States is 3,000,000 while 6,000,000 are free of debt and the remainder are rented. Since 1890 the number of homes in the United States has increased from 12,690,000 to over 20,000,000.

INJURED AT POWER PLANT

Nicholas Macroon, an Italian em-

played at the Rockingham Light and Power Co., in the fire room, was badly injured on Wednesday evening while at work at the plant.

He was wheeling ashes from the fire room, work that he has been doing for three years, and the wheel of the barrow rolled off the plank walk and he fell injuring himself so badly that he was taken to the Portsmouth Hospital where Dr. Heffenger performed an operation.

SOUND ADVICE

Every physician will inform you, dear Madam, that washing is work that is really too hard for women—and, they will also warn particularly against the pneumonia danger of going from the steaming hot atmosphere of the kitchen into outdoors these winter days.

Why not enjoy the convenience and labor-saving service of our wet wash laundry and save your energy and health besides having your family's linen washed better than you can do it? The cost is small and all you need do is to call No. 373.

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## MASS. SENATE PASSES WOMEN SUFFRAGE

Amendment to Constitution  
Passed by Vote of  
33 to 3.

Boston, Feb. 5.—By a vote of 33 to 3, one pair, and the President and one member not voting, the senate yesterday agreed to the article of amendment to the constitution giving women the right to vote.

There was no debate on the subject, the only speech prior to the calling of the roll being by Senator Wells of Haverhill, who said that a canvass of the senators showed that 26 of them will vote "no" on the amendment at the election in November and that eight others are in doubt as to how they will vote.

### WHIST AND DANCE.

**Knights of Columbus Enjoy  
Party at Their Home  
Thursday Night.**

The Knights of Columbus held a most enjoyable whist and dancing party at their home on Islington street on Thursday evening which was largely attended. At eight o'clock cards were in order and an enthusiastic game was enjoyed which resulted in Mrs. James McWilliams capturing ladies' first favor, and Mr. Paul Kirvan, the gentleman's first. Mrs. Mary Murphy was awarded ladies' second, and Mr. McGinnis gentleman's second.

Refreshments were served at intermission and Johnson was enjoyed until midnight, Alex Bilbreck furnishing music for dancing.

### CHURCH SUPPER.

**Ladies' Social Circle of Universalist Church Hostesses.**

The Ladies' Social Circle of the Universalist church held their regular monthly supper in the vestry of the church on Thursday evening with a very large attendance.

In the afternoon a business meeting

was held and plans for work in the future were discussed. At 6 o'clock an appetizing supper was served, the menu embracing omelette, oysters, pickles, baked beans, brown bread, rolls, fancy pies and coffee.

Mrs. Freeman R. Garrett was chairman of the supper committee and her assistants were Mrs. Charles Green, Mrs. Edward Goudy, Mrs. Fred A. Gray, Mrs. Albert Entwistle, and Miss Ellen Gammon.

A substantial sum was realized and the affair was a social success.

## Scenic Temple

For Friday and Saturday  
TEN REELS

Show Starts at 5:30 Tonight

Called Back—Adaptation from Hugh Conway's famous novel in four reels with Herbert Rawlinson and Anna Little in the leads. The story is one which has a tremendous appeal, showing the fullness of sin, and of how the sixth sense proved to be Fate's avenger.

Million Dollar Mystery—Nineteenth episode.

"The Underground River," two reels, featuring Florence La Badie and James Cruz.

Mutual Weekly—

Showing the latest pictures from the seat of war and many other interesting subjects.

In the Sagebrush Country—Kay-Mee, two reels.

Featuring Rhea Mitchell and William Hart.

Mabel's and Fatty's Wash Day—Keystone comedy.

Special Saturday Matinee—A prize to the boy and girl under 12 years old holding the lucky tickets.

Coming Monday and Tuesday: "The Master Key," by John Fleming Wilson. A thrilling story of mystery and romance. It's the most wonderful photographic serial ever conceived and achieved. It will hold you spell-bound with interest. Don't miss the first installment. Featuring Robert Leonard and Ella Hall.

### NOTICE

All members of Division 2, A. O. U. M., Ladies' Auxiliary going to Dover on Sunday afternoon will meet at the ferry landing at 12:45.

Per Order,  
Mrs. Katherine Quirk,  
Jeremiah Crowley,  
Presidents.

## LOCAL DELEGATES TO BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

New Hampshire Association's  
Midwinter Banquet at  
Concord Today.

The New Hampshire Bankers' Association is to hold its midwinter banquet and meeting at the Eagle House in Concord this evening. The banquet will be preceded by a reception and social session in the parlors of the hotel at 5 o'clock and during the evening a select musical program of 12 numbers will be rendered by a band engaged for the occasion.

Gov. Rolland H. Spaulding is to be one of the speakers at the post-prandial exercises and Hon. George H. Moses, former ambassador to Greece is another; also Rev. Donald Fraser of Wells River, Vt., and Hon. Alfred L. Allen of the Federal Reserve bank of Boston.

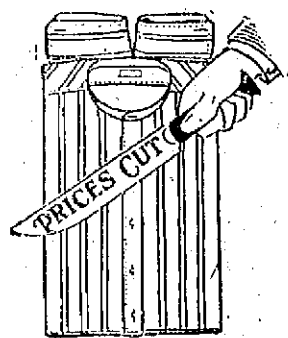
The officers of the association are as follows:

President, Lester F. Thurber, Nashua; secretary, Harry L. Addison, Manchester; treasurer, Wallace L. Mason, Keene; vice-presidents, Arthur T. Cass of Tilton, Frank C. Hannah of Berlin, Ira F. Harris of Nashua, Percy A. Johnson of Newport, Fred N. Ladd of Concord, Charles P. Shillaber of Portsmouth, Clifford L. Sturtevant of Keene, Rodney E. Smythe of Plymouth, Fred K. Wentworth of Somersworth, C. W. Wilder of Conway; executive committee, Frederick W. Sawyer of Milford, Percy R. Bagbee of Hanover, John K. Bates of Portsmouth.

The following are members from this city who will attend: John K. Bates, president, Charles A. Hazlett, vice president, and R. W. Jenkins, cashier of the First National bank; E. C. Matthews, Jr., assistant treasurer of the Piscataqua Savings bank; Calvin Page, president, and W. C. Walton, treasurer of the New Hampshire National bank; and H. E. Boynton, treasurer, and George B. Lord, assistant treasurer of the Portsmouth Savings bank.

**SPECIALS AT CATER'S MARKET,  
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### MOORE RESIGNS.

**New Officers for Engine 2 of  
Fire Department.**

At the last meeting of the fire company attached to Engine 2, Frank D. Moore resigned as captain. Percy H. Hersey was elected to succeed Captain Moore, and James Scott was elected lieutenant. William Varrell, a substitute, was appointed an active member of the company.

CALL—P. A. C. MINSTRELS.

Rehearsal for full company, 3 p. m. Feb. 7. Every man going on is requested to be present. Manager.

The choicest of best cuts at Drake's Market.

### AT MUGRIDGE'S.

Fancy sirloin steak, 25c; lamb chops, 25c; lamb flanks, 19c; hams, whole or half, 16c; sliced, 20c; fancy corned shoulders, 12 1/2c; Hamburg steak, 2 lbs. 25c, (one long as 11 lasts); lean salted pork, 5-lb lots, 12 1/2c; roast beef, 15c; pickled tripe, 3 lbs. 25c; slow meat, 11c; bacon, whole or half strips, 20c; best butter, finest made, 35c; 5 pound fard, 5-lb pails, 60c; oatmeal, 12 lbs 25c; 3 cans evaporated milk, 25c; mixed cookies, 3 lbs 25c; soda biscuits, 3 lbs 25c; Dragon tea (50c kind), 25c; Strawberry Bank coffee (reg. price 35c), 25c; 3 bottles Ketchup, 25c; hog's liver, 7c lb.

## LEAVES HER

**\$25,000**

**Portsmouth Lady Becomes  
Beneficiary in Will.**

In the will of the late Mrs. Ellen A. R. Goldthwait of the Hotel Vendome, Boston, which was probated on Wednesday, Mrs. Helen C. R. Thayer of this city, becomes a beneficiary and is left the sum of \$25,000. The Robert B. Brigham Hospital, Boston, gets \$50,000.

The gift to the hospital is for research to increase knowledge of chronic diseases. The other bequests are \$10,000 to the Central Congrega-

tional church in Newbury street; \$1000 to the Sharon Sanitarium; \$1000 to the Home for Aged Men on West Springfield street; \$1000 to the Children's Island Sanitarium of Marblehead; \$2000 to the Marblehead Y. M. C. A.; \$2000 to the Boston Y. W. C. A.; \$1000 to the Sarah Gillett Home for Aged People in Westfield, and \$1000 to the Noble Hospital in Westfield.

To Mrs. Jessie Goldthwait, a piece, wife of Dr. Joel E. Goldthwait was given \$25,000, and to William J. Goldthwait of Marblehead \$10,000. To Dr. Goldthwait was given \$10,000 and household effects, and he was also made residuary legatee. The private bequest aggregated \$103,000.

### ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

The engagement is announced of Miss Marion Gertrude Small, formerly of Portsmouth, to Ralph Edward Miller of Augusta, Me.

# MARGESON BROTHERS,

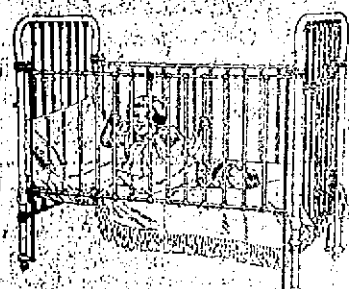
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\$36 value, mahogany, \$27.00  
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\$25 value, mahogany, \$18.75  
\$20 value, mahogany, \$15.00  
\$25 value, oak, \$18.75  
\$20 value, oak, \$15.00  
\$15 value, oak, \$11.25  
\$12 value, oak, \$8.00

### RED TAGS

25 Per Cent Discount Off  
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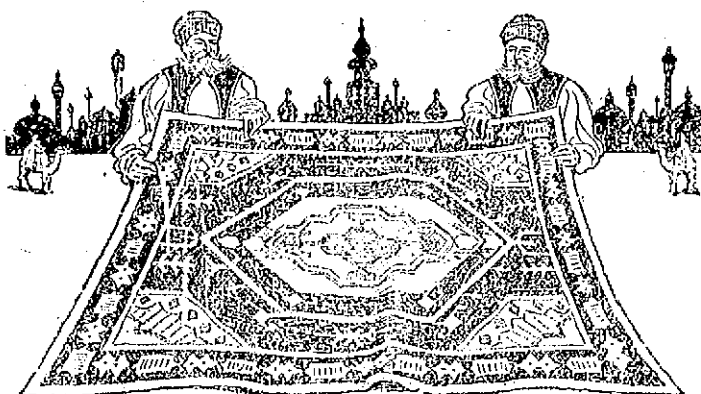
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### YELLOW TAGS

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## HIGH GRADE DOMESTIC RUGS AT SUBSTANTIAL SAVINGS

HEAVY WILTON RUGS	VELVET RUGS	Extra Quality Body Brussels Rugs
\$60 value; 9x12, \$45.00	\$25 value; 9x12, \$18.75	\$30 value; 9x12, \$25.00
\$50 value; 8x10, \$40.00	\$20 value; 8x10, \$15.00	\$27.50 value; 8x10, \$22.50
\$9.50 value; 36x63, \$7.25	\$15 value; 6x9, \$11.25	\$20 value; 6x9, \$15.00

### DRESSERS

MAHOGANY  
DRESSERS

\$50 value, \$37.50  
\$40 value, \$30.00  
\$30 value, \$22.50



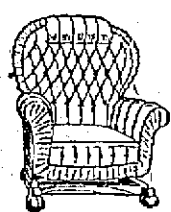
OAK  
DRESSERS

\$25 value, \$18.75  
\$20 value, \$15.00  
\$16 value, \$12.00  
\$12 value, \$9.00

### ROCKERS

UPHOLSTERED ROCKERS

\$50 value, \$37.50  
\$40 value, \$30.00  
\$36 value, \$27.00  
\$30 value, \$22.50  
\$26 value, \$18.75



### DRESSERS

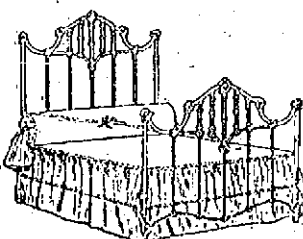
PRINCESS DRESSERS  
Value \$21.50

Sale Price, \$16.00  
Dressers and Chiffoniers to  
match in Tuna Mahogany, Gold-  
en Oak, Birds-Eye Maple, Dark  
Mahogany and Walnut.

### BEDS

IRON BEDS

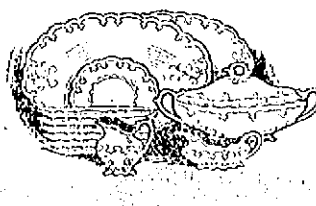
\$20 value, \$16.00  
\$18 value, \$13.50  
\$16 value, \$12.00  
\$12 value, \$9.00  
\$10 value, \$7.50  
\$8 value, \$6.00



### DINNER SETS

112-pc. Dinner Sets

\$30 value, \$22.50  
\$28 value, \$21.00  
\$25 value, \$18.25  
\$20 value, \$15.00  
\$15 value, \$11.75



### BUFFETS

\$80 Mhg. Buffet, \$60.00  
\$60 Mhg. Buffet, \$45.00  
\$50 Mhg. Buffet, \$37.50  
\$50 Oak Buffet, \$37.50  
\$40 Oak Buffet, \$30.00  
\$30 Oak Buffet, \$22.50  
\$25 Oak Buffet, \$18.25

